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(SBU)On August 13 PolOff delivered reftel demarche points on the UNESCO Director-General election to the MFA's "D1" Directorate for the UN and International Organizations and Conferences. The MFA acknowledged our message and noted that the UNESCO Coordinator is currently on leave and returning August 17. (Note: August 15 is a major Greek national holiday and most MFA officials, from the senior leadership on down, are currently on leave or traveling during the summer holidays. End Note) Post will follow up with the MFA and forward any additional information we receive. SPECKHARD